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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

A killing frost in Texas Thursday night. —— The authorized capital of the new Seaboard Company is five million dollars. —— Rear-end collision on the Southern, at Wellington, Va., caused the death of a conductor and a brakeman. —— Cotton Spinners' Convention at Atlanta adjourned to meet in Charleston next year. —— At Rural Retreat, Va., Mrs. Louise Huddle shot and killed by her son-in-law, H. N. Ratcliffe. —— In Zapata county, Texas, people are starving, as a result of crop failure. —— Negro jailed at Sumter, S C, charged with having whipped to death an eleven-year old boy. —— The Winter cruise of the North Atlantic squadron will begin on the 25th of this month; the vessels will stop at Charleston for four days —— Jas. J. Jeffries was the victor over Gus Ruhlin in the fight for the championship at San Francisco; the fight ended in the fifth round. ——New York markets: Money on call easier at 2½@5 per cent., the last loan being at 2½ per cent.; cotton quiet at 8c; flour was active and firmer; wheat—spot firm, No. 2 red 83½c; corn—spot firmer, No. 2 68c; oats—spot stronger, No. 2 46c; rosin steady; spirits turpentine dull and easy at 37½@38c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 15

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 38 degrees; 8 P. M., 43 degrees; maximum, 51 degrees; minimum, 37 degrees; mean, 44 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 0.00; rainfall since 1st of the month to date, 0.57 inches.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 3.6 feet.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—For North Carolina—Fair and continued cool Saturday; light to fresh northwesterly winds.

Port Almanac—November 16.

Sun Rises	6.37 A. M.
Sun Sets	4.53 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 15 M.
High Water at Southport	10.05 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	1.20 A. M.

President Roosevelt is opposed to docking the tails of horses, declaring that nature knew what she was doing when she put tails on them. Nothing bobtailed about Teddy.

A constable started out in New York the other day to hunt up an actor who was sued for an unpaid board bill. All he could find of him was a set of false teeth which he seized.

It is announced from St. Louis that a force of 5,000 guards will be employed to look after the World's Fair. St. Louis is evidently expecting some large delegations of visitors from Chicago.

The recent election in New York is said to have cost the State about $2,500,000, but some of the New Yorkers think they got the worth of their money. It also cost the fellows who bet on the wrong side about $1,000,000.

The Sugar Trust is circulating in the West petitions to Congress to put raw sugar on the free list, thereby, it says, saving consumers $60,000,000 a year, and giving them a refined sugar at from three to four cents a pound. This is a rear attack on the beet sugar men.

Gen. DeWet seems to have entirely recovered from being dead. The last heard from him was through Gen. Kitchener, who reports him mustering an army in the northeastern section of the Orange River Colony. Some of these Boers have as many lives as a cat.

Gov. Davis, of Arkansas, has stirred up the natives by releasing all the women in the penitentiary and giving notice that while he is Governor no woman shall be incarcerated until the Legislature provides a reform school, which, he says, is the proper place for them.

It is announced now that President Schwab gets a salary of $100,000 a year with perquisites amounting to $125,000 more making $225,000. He also gets the interest on the stock he holds. As Mr. Schwab is a man of simple tastes and a moderate liver, he can manage to get along fairly well on that

Some scientists have risen to warn us that in our pell-mell rush to annihilate the festive mosquito we may be "flying to ills that we know not of," and running up against a much tougher proposition than the mosquito. Think of this when you sneak up with dire intent on the beneficent little sucker.

For LaGrippe and Influenza use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.
For sale by Hardin's Palace Pharmacy.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure will preach at Pearsall's school house, in East Wilmington, to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

— The colored teachers of the county will meet at the Court House at 10 o'clock this morning for a meeting with the County Superintendent similar to that one held by the white teachers some time ago.

— "Blind Tom" concluded his engagement at the Opera House last night with a most creditable performance. Those who did not see this famous musical prodigy missed the treat of their lives.

— By deed filed for record yesterday John Hooper transferred to Allen E. Jackson, lot on the eastern line of Eighth street, between Campbell and Hanover streets, 33x64½ feet in size, consideration, $340.

— The Norwegian barque *Amal* was cleared yesterday by Messrs. Hinde & Co., with a cargo of 4,539 barrels rosin, valued at $5,455.80, and consigned by the S. P. Shotter Company to parties in Middlesborough, England.

— Those who have occasion to visit police headquarters are wondering why the city authorities do not make the place more easy of access by allowing a gate to be cut in the fence railing, obviating the necessity of climbing upon the City Hall portico and then descending to the station house.

— Chas. Ratcliff, colored, was arrested yesterday by Policeman C. E. Wood, at Water and Chesnut streets, charged with obstructing the sidewalk. He had on his shoulders a frame by which several buckets of water were being carried to the Champion Compress. Charles' inventive genius cost him just $5 when he explained its workings to Mayor Waddell in the municipal court.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Special Meeting Yesterday Afternoon Primarily for Consideration of Insurance Tax—Officers to Renew Bonds.

Yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock the Board of County Commissioners held a special meeting upon which Chairman McEachern and all members were in attendance except Commissioner Vollers.

The meeting was called primarily to consider the matter of tax on local insurance companies, which has been deferred from time to time. The case in question is that of the Wilmington Underwriters' Insurance Company, which claims exemption under section 78 of the Revenue Act from tax on real and personal property.

It was ordered that "in accordance with the opinion of the State Tax Commissioners to whom the matter was referred, that there be charged against the Wilmington Underwriter's Insurance Company, taxes on their real and personal property and the same be given to the sheriff for collection."

It was ordered that all county officers be notified by the clerk to renew their bonds on or before the first Monday in December.

The Chairman was authorized to advertise for the usual supplies at the beginning of the new fiscal year December 1st.

SAD FUNERAL YESTERDAY.

Impressive Services by Pastor Over Remains of Miss Blanche Chadbourn.

Yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock the funeral services over the remains of Miss Blanche King Chadbourn were impressively conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. M. Wells, in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing friends of the bright young lady whom they all so devotedly loved. The floral designs were beautiful and very many.

The interment was in Oakdale cemetery, the following young men having acted as pall bearers: Messrs. J. O. Carr, S. M. Boatwright, Louis Hall, Clayton Giles, Jr., F. W. Dick, Julius T. Jennings and R. C. Sloan.

Davidson Defeated Georgia.

Yesterday afternoon the University of Georgia football team was defeated by the Davidson college eleven by a score of 16 to 6. The feature of the game was Fitzpatrick's, Davidson's right, half two goals kicked from the field. The North Carolinians had great advantage by their superior weight.

The Receipts of Cotton.

For the week ended yesterday there were received at Wilmington 12,264 bales of cotton, against 8,228 during the same week last year. The receipts since September 1st have been 139,928 bales, against 164,186 bales for a corresponding period last year. The local quotations yesterday showed an advance to 7¼ cents for middling.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Rev. Wm. Francis Dickinson is expected to arrive in the city to-night from New York to conduct services in St. Paul's Episcopal church Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Mr. Dickinson is said to be a speaker of much force and a rector of ability.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

J. A. Springer & Co.—Coal.
Clerk of Court—Legal notice.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Special sale.
Mercer & Evans Co.—Douglas shoes
J. W. Plummer, Jr.—Gro'd cocoanuts

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Gas Heater—Bath room.

JEFFERSON DAVIS MONUMENT

Will be Erected in Richmond and Unveiled on June 3rd, 1903.

United Daughters of the Confederacy in Annual Convention Yesterday Received Reports and Transacted Other Important Business—Trip to the Beach—Address by Judge Christian, of Virginia—Will Adjourn This Morning.

Perhaps the most important item of business to come before the eighth annual convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, now in session in this city, was disposed of yesterday and that, too, in a manner that will cause the heart of every loyal Southerner to swell with pride and go out in grateful appreciation and thanks to the devoted women of the South, who by their action yesterday consummated in great work—that of deciding upon erecting a monument or memorial arch in honor of Jefferson Davis.

The decision was reached amid much enthusiasm after hearing most excellent reports from all departments of the Jefferson Davis Monument Association, which is now entirely under the auspices of the U. D. C.

The monument will be erected at Twelfth and Broad streets, Richmond, Va., and will cost not less than $50,000 and as much more than that amount as the several committees can secure before its unveiling. It will be unveiled on June 3rd, 1903, with appropriate ceremonies and will be the pride of the South. The monument will take the form of an arch, and will span the entire street on one of the most prominent and historic spots at the Confederate Capitol.

Each State Division was requested by the convention to select an artist, who will furnish a model for the arch or gateway on or before March 1st, 1903, and from this collection a choice will be made.

Of the amount needed for the monument $38,000 is already in bank and the committee has pledges for $2,000 more, which will be forthcoming at any time. Leaders in the movement say that with energetic work $75,000 can easily be raised for this purpose. Each State Division yesterday showed conclusively that it was its purpose to put forth still greater effort during the coming year.

Owing to the severe hoarseness of Mrs. Norman V. Randolph, of Richmond, chairman of the Central Committee of the Monument Association, her report was read in convention yesterday by Mrs. S. Thomas McCullough, of Staunton, Va., president of the organization. The report of Mrs. Randolph is as follows:

"*Madam President and Daughters of the Confederacy*:

"The very efficient report of the President of the Davis Monument requires only a few words from the chairman of the Central Committee. We have worked in season and out of season, with the determination that the Davis Monument shall, when completed, be a monument that the people of the South shall not be ashamed of. One point in all our appeals we have tried to make, that is, a monument to the one and only president of the Confederate States, is a monument to the cause he so honorably represented; a monument to every Confederate soldier who fought for the cause he knew was right; a monument to our unknown dead, wherever they be, for they died for that cause; a monument to our prison dead, who have been refused recognition by a "re-united country;" and last, but not least, a monument to the women, who in sorrow and desolation, in widowhood and in poverty have never given up the cause they loved, and who to-day, on mountain and in valley are honoring this cause and their dead by the monuments that are being every day erected. I cannot but feel that the resolutions adopted by the Memphis reunion will bring the results we desire—the resolution, that each camp be asked to send a dollar for each member. Many of the veterans have not ten cents to give, many more could give ten dollars, and many hundreds, thus making up the $1 00 each. We have sent thousands of envelopes asking for $1.00 or a contribution, no matter how small, and we hope for good results. The monument will be erected in 1903, and Richmond will welcome each and all to participate in doing honor to the one and only president, who in the struggle for constitutional right, and the liberty of States represented the people of our Southland. Veterans and Daughters of the Confederacy, lay aside all local work for a short season, and with willing hearts and hands work to erect this monument to do honor not alone to Mr. Davis but to the Southern Confederacy. Respectfully submitted.

"MRS. N. V. RANDOLPH,
"Chairman Central Committee, Jefferson Davis Monument.

The report of Mrs. McCullough, president of the Association, was of the same tenor and denoted an enthusiasm among the directors from each State which is phenomenal.

The report of Mrs. Edgar D. Taylor, of Richmond, treasurer of the Association, showed the finances in a most encouraging condition. An original report was submitted showing receipts to October 25th, 1901, and this was accompanied by a supplemental report showing several amounts that have come in since the convention assembled. The total amount added to the fund during the past fiscal year was $14,460.16 and from this was deducted $720.61 as per vouchers attached.

The summary of amounts collected from all sources by States to October 25th, was shown as follows:

Alabama	$ 362 00
Arkansas	336 00
California	65 00
District of Columbia	10 00
Florida	225 85
Georgia	799 58
Illinois	5 00
Indiana	137 00
Indian Territory	20 00
Kentucky	342 00
Louisiana	337 50
Maryland	131 00
Mississippi	629 10
Missouri	489 95
North Carolina	1,599 80
New York	337 00
Ohio	5 00
South Carolina	1,226 98
Tennessee	600 00
Texas	1,325 95
Virginia	713 18
Grand Div. of Virginia	1,059 13
West Virginia	201 50
Miscellaneous sources	27 00
United Daughters of Confed.	1,000 00
Confed. So. Memo. Asso'n	1,226 98
Sale of Buttons (S. C.)	25 54
Sale of Calendars (Mrs. V.)	400 00
Receipts Special Collection, Chairman Central Com.	102 42
Total Receipts	$14,460 16

North Carolina leads in contributions to the fund, as will be seen by reference to the table. It is a showing at which the North Carolina delegation had just reason to feel proud. Texas, South Carolina, Virginia and the Confederated Southern Memorial Association also made a creditable showing.

Apropos to the reports received yesterday a motion was adopted asking that the Charleston Exposition devote a part of the gate receipts on "Confederate Day" to the monument fund, and that all the Daughters be requested to attend on that day.

When the report of the Central Monument Committee had been received yesterday, a very pleasing incident took place when, through Miss Claire Atkinson, of Richmond, a handsome red and white bouquet, deftly tied with red ribbon, the U. D. C. colors, was presented to Mrs. Randolph, the commitee's energetic and enthusiastic chairman. The committee as a whole was also given a rising vote of thanks, attended by warm applause and much enthusiasm.

The remainder of the morning session yesterday was taken up with a hearing and the receiving of the reports from the auditing and historical committees and from the national treasurer, Mrs. J. Jefferson Thomas, of Atlanta. Mrs. Thomas' report shows a balance to the new fiscal year of approximately $1,000.

Mrs. Dudley Reynolds, of Louisville, also read a report from the organization of Children of the Confederacy, which was very encouraging and indicative of a substantial growth during the past year. Mrs. Reynolds is the founder of this auxiliary branch of the U. D. C., which has a charter from the "Blue Grass State." She is also president general and a most enthusiastic worker. She asked the convention to adopt the name "E. M. Bruce Children of the Confederacy" in honor of her distinguished father and Confederate.

Miss Dunnovant, of Texas, one of the brightest members of the convention, urged the introduction of literary features into Chapter meetings.

The convention adjourned about 1 o'clock to become guests of the Carolina Yacht Club at Wrightsville Beach.

The Trip to the Beach.

Nearly every one of the officers and delegates of the convention left on a special train over the Seacoast Railroad at 2:30 P. M. for the outing to Wrightsville. The train consisted of seven coaches, and the trip was a most delightful one. Capt. James I. Metts, the gallant commander of Cape Fear Camp, No. 254, U. C. V., of this city, accompanied the party and gave them every attention possible. The handsome club house was thrown wide open to the local and visiting daughters, and during the afternoon delightful refreshments were served. Many who did not catch the train for the trip, went down in wagonettes and carriages and were guests of friends on the sound. All returned early in the evening after a most pleasant breath of sea breeze and sight of the grand old ocean.

Convention Session Last Night.

The convention last night was most charmingly and instructively entertained for about an hour with an interesting historical address by Judge Geo. L. Christian, of Richmond, who arrived on the evening train and is a guest at the home of Mr. S. P. Collier.

Mrs. Weed called the convention to order at 8:30 o'clock and introduced in well chosen words Judge Christian, who stated that he would do violence to his feelings if he failed to express the very great honor of which he was conscious upon being invited to address so distinguished a body. His speech would not strictly be an address but would be the reading of a historical paper which he had read at the Grand Camp of Veterans at Petersburg about two weeks ago.

With a pleasant reference to the Daughters he entered upon the address which was greatly enjoyed by the convention and a large number of townspeople, who had gathered for the event. Judge Christian's paper was an able defense of secession by the States and included a graphic description of the method of warfare by the two parties to the late conflict. Its reading was frequently interrupted by applause and upon its conclusion Judge Christian was given an enthusiastic expression of thanks by a rising vote of the convention.

The business session was convened by the president immediately upon the conclusion of the address.

The minutes of yesterday's meetings, with slight alterations, were adopted.

Mrs. Walker read a report for the "Calendar Committee," showing receipts from the sale of souvenir calendars for the benefit of the Davis monument. The amount realized during the past year was $1,157.49, out of which expenses were deducted to the amount of $691.45, leaving a balance of $466.04. The Richmond chapters alone contributed $419.90 of the total amount. North Carolina contributed $45.50. It was announced that calendars for 1902 are now ready for distribution.

At this stage of the proceedings, Mrs. Stone, of Texas, moved that the rules be suspended and that an election of officers be entered upon, as many of the delegates would have to leave before the morning's session. Mrs. Cooley, of Florida, favored proceeding with the business, and delegates all over the house began to oppose the proposition with the result that a vote by States was called at the suggestion of Mrs. Merchant, of Virginia. The vote resulted 395 for election and 488 against election; necessary to carry the motion 589. The convention then proceeded and committee reports were called.

The president called upon Mrs. J. A. Rounsaville, of Georgia, for the report of the committee as to the admission of the "Daughters of Confederacy" of Missouri into the national organization. The "U. D. C." and "D. O. C." are separate and distinct organizations in Missouri, and the State president of each asked for postponement of action until the next convention. There was a spirited discussion of the report, but at length a motion by Mrs. Stone, of Texas, and substitute by Mrs. Cantrill, of Kentucky, prevailed, to the effect that the matter of admission be left entirely in the hands of the committee, in which the convention expressed implicit confidence. Mrs. Rounsaville thanked the body for the expression and the responsibility imposed.

One of the knottiest problems of the convention was reached when the report of the committee was called for as to whom the honor belonged for originating the U. D. C. None of the committee was present and no report was forthcoming. The controversy was found to have narrowed itself down to a personal question between Mrs. M. C. Goodlett, the honorary president of the U. D. C., and Mrs. Raines, both distinguished members. Mrs. Hickman, the secretary, asked the convention to settle the question then and there. Mrs. Goodlett stated that she was present with her proof, and had come a long way to submit it and would do so at any time. Mrs. Rounsaville moved the appointment of a committee consisting of three ladies, named by each of the parties to the controversy and one by the president of the convention who would consider the merits of the respective cases and report at this morning's session. Mrs. Rutherford made a similar motion with slight changes and the committee was named as follows: Mesdames T. M. Worcester, of Ohio; J. W. Tench, of Florida, and S. Thomas McCullough, of Florida, for Mrs. Gaines. Mrs. W. L. London, of North Carolina; Mrs. Basil Duke, of Kentucky, and Mrs. Jno. H. Hickman, of Tennessee, for Mrs. Goodlett. For the convention, Mrs. Virginia F. McSherry. The committee retired and will report this morning.

Mrs. Rutherford, chairman of the Committee on "Crosses of Honor," asked for further time for report, as did also Mrs. W. H. Overman for the committee on an organ for the U. D. C.

At this juncture one of the most pleasant incidents of the evening took place when Mrs. Wm. M. Parsley, of Wilmington, presented to the convention Major A. Weill, of this city, whom it was stated was the only one to care for President Davis at Charlotte upon his flight from Richmond after the hopes of the Confederacy had been shattered. Major Weill responded very cordially to the introduction, modestly saying that he did his duty as a Southern gentleman and deserved no credit except that for duty. He thanked the convention for the honor shown him and gracefully retired from the rostrum to which he was escorted by Mr. T. D. Meares.

The Historical and Memorial Committee asked for further time for their reports.

Mrs. A. McKay Kimbrough, of Greenwood, Miss., at this stage of the proceedings presented to the convention a handsome gavel which was made of wood from the steamer *Star of the West* upon the deck of which the first gun for the Confederacy was fired. A star with which the gavel is surmounted was made from a brass nail from the same vessel and the gift was accompanied by a neat little speech by Mrs. Kimbrough, which is regarded as one of the prettiest of the sessions. Mrs. Kimbrough also proposed as a gift from the national U. D. C., to the Grand Camp of Confederate Veterans a silver loving cup as an expression of the sympathy felt by the Daughters in the affairs of the soldiers.

It was midnight when the convention adjourned to assemble again this morning at 9:30 o'clock for the concluding session.

General Notes of the Meeting.

New Orleans, Baltimore and Los Angeles, Cal., are making a strong fight for next year's session. A decision will be reached to-day.

There were many kodaks in the party of visiting Daughters at the Beach yesterday afternoon and some excellent views were obtained.

The Pullman car for the benefit of delegates to the convention will be attached to the out going S. A. L. train at 3:05 o'clock this afternoon and reservations may be made at the S. A. L. office near the convention hall this morning.

Arrangement has been made for a picture of the United Daughters today a little after noon from the steps of Cornwallis' headquarters at corner Third and Market streets. It is for use upon the front page of the *Confederate Veteran*. Announcement as to exact time will be made at the business meeting this morning.

Among the best known women in the chapters, camps and bivouacs of the Confederate South to day is Mrs. T. J. Latham, of Memphis, Tenn. Her work in the Daughters of the Confederacy is known from Atlanta, Ga., to Los Angeles, Cal., thus, wherever she travels she finds hands outstretched to receive her and pleasant voices to give her welcome.

As president of the Woman's Forrest Monument Association she has trod in "Seven League Boots" toward the collection of funds for the cause. The Catholic *Journal*, of Memphis, in speaking recently of her work, said: "To Mrs. Latham more than to any other person is due the credit for this noble work. Her zeal and energy and patriotism in this cause have only been equalled by her untiring labors in bringing it about and making it a success."

Mrs. Latham is president of the largest chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy for her State, and regent of the oldest chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Tennessee. She is prominent in all social and charitable organizations of her city, and wields a ready pen.

"SEVENGALA" IN GREENSBORO.

Papers of That City Speak of His Company in Highest Terms.

For five nights, commencing next Monday, Sevengala and his company of entertainers will be the Opera House offering. The Greensboro *Record* of November 12th says:

"There have been hypnotists and hypnotists in Greensboro, but Sevengala, who held the boards last night, is the greatest of them all. He is an artist and his performance is clean and clear cut, a total absence of anything savoring of Buncombe or clap trap. His audience comprised ministers, lawyers, doctors and professional men generally, as well as a large number of ladies, all of whom were pleasingly entertained."

Seats will be on sale this morning at Gerken's. Prices 10, 20 and 30 cents. Ladies free Monday night when accompanied by a person holding a paid 30 cent ticket.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Miss May Clarke, of Tarboro, is visiting Mrs. J. A. Arringdale.

— Mr. James Evans, of Fayetteville, was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

— Mrs. H. P. Clark, of Tarboro, returned home yesterday after a pleasant visit to Mrs. Haywood Clark.

— Miss Bessie Gibson has returned to her home in the city after a very pleasant visit to friends elsewhere.

— Capt. E. Piner, the clever A. C. L. gateman at the Front street station, has returned from a pleasant vacation spent at Morehead City.

— Col. F. W. Kerchener, who has been in Baltimore for several weeks, returned home yesterday. His numerous friends will be gratified to know that he is much improved in health.

— The Naval Reserves basket ball team will be reorganized for the coming season at the Y. M. C. A. to-night.

Church Notices.

Bladen Street Methodist Church: Rev. J. J. Porter will preach at 11 A. M., and at the evening service.

Services at Delgado Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7.15 P. M. by Rev. P. C. Morton. Sunday School at 10 A. M.

Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Sixth and Queen streets. There will be the usual services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Southside Baptist Church, corner Fifth and Wooster streets, Rev. R. R. Herring, pastor. Service 11 o'clock A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday School at 3 P. M. Prayer meeting service every Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

First Presbyterian Church, Rev. John M. Wells, Ph. D., pastor. Divine services at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at the morning service. Sunday school at 4 P. M. Prayer meeting on Thursdays at 8:30 P. M. The public cordially invited. Pews free.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor. Divine services at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sabbath School at 3.30 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public invited. Seats free.

Religious services will be conducted at the Seaman's Bethel to-morrow, (Sabbath) afternoon, at 3 o'clock, by Rev. F. H. T. Borsfield. Seamen and riverman are especially invited. All are welcome.

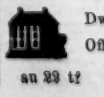
Brooklyn Baptist Church, corner Fourth and Brunswick streets. Rev. J. J. Farmer, pastor. Services to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 3.30 P. M. Weekly prayer and praise meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M. Strangers and visitors are cordially invited to all services.

Fifth Street Methodist Church, situated on Fifth street between Nun and Church, Rev. John H. Hall, pastor. Services on Sunday at 11 A. M. and 8.00 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Sunday School Sunday afternoon at 3.00 o'clock. A cordial invitation extended to all.

Grace M. E. Church, corner of Grace and Fourth streets. Pastor, Rev. J. N. Cole. Services Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday School, W. B. Cooper, supt., 4.30 p. m. Weekly prayer meeting Wednesday at 8.00 p. m. A cordial welcome to all. Visitors to the city pecially invited. Seats free.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR RENT,



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Cincinnati Hogan Shoes

For Ladies, Misses and Children in onesare grades. We are paying especial attention to these lines—having the sole agency here

We have many other grades and lines for all classes, kinds and conditions, as cheap as the cheapest and as good as the best.

Great Barzains in Department Goods Yet---Up Stairs Floors.

We earnestly solicit your patronage.
Respectfully,

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Florida and Jamaica Oranges.

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NORTH CAROLINA,
NEW HANOVER COUNTY, Superior Court.

Mary B. Keeton,
vs.
J. T. Keeton.

This is an action brought by the plaintiff in the above entitled cause against the defendant above named for divorce on the ground of abandonment. It being made to appear that J. T. Keeton is a non resident of the State of North Carolina and cannot, after due diligence be found in this State. These are therefore to notify said defendant to appear at the next term of the Superior Court to be held for the county of New Hanover on the 6th Monday before the 1st Monday in March, A. D. 1902, then and there to answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff or judgment will be granted according to the prayer of the complaint.

In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal of office, this 12th day of November, A. D. 1901. JNO. D. TAYLOR,
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The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SATURDAY MORNING, NOV. 16

POLICIES FORESHADOWED.

Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, delivered an address a few nights ago before the Middlesex Club, in Boston, the main points and substance of which are thus given by wire:

"The great Republic which President McKinley loved and to which he gave his life still marches on, even as he would have it, and we turn from the dead to the living. A deep gratitude is ours that his successor was not only his associate but his friend, and that the policies and purposes of President McKinley are the policies and purposes of President Roosevelt. They thought alike as to all great public questions, and alike they are representatives of the principles of the Republican party and of the truest and best American ideals and beliefs."

"Senator Lodge made an argument for general reciprocity in commercial relations.

"'To this subject,' he said, 'it is certain that anxious consideration will be given to President Roosevelt and by Congress at the ensuing session. Whether it will be deemed best to put this policy into execution by means of some general legislation equivalent to a reciprocal arrangement with all the nations of the earth, or by a series of separate treaties, it is as yet too early to say.'

"He said he considered the reciprocity with Cuba as first and most important for political as well as economical reasons. Then he discussed the reciprocity treaties now pending in the Senate and concluded this part of his remarks by saying:

"'Lastly, we come to the treaty with France, which is more important economically than all the other treaties put together. I should like to see a treaty made with France. It is a country with which I would fain strengthen our good relations.'

"He advocated legislation which would put the American merchant marine on an equality with that of other countries and the building of a navy. The Senator continued:

"The whole country, I think, favors the building of an isthmian canal. I believe, from what little I know, that we shall have a treaty with England at the coming session which will remove, honorably for both nations, whatever obstacles now exist to the building of the canal. If such a treaty is submitted to us by the President there is no more pressing duty than its immediate ratification, to be followed at once by the passage of the Canal bill.

"There is one other condition that is essential to the commerce and industrial development of the United States, which in the last five years has entered a new epoch, and that is the maintenance of peace. There is no nation in the world to which peace is so important as it is to the United States in order to secure ample scope for the great progress we are making. We are in good relations now with all the world, and it will be, I am sure, the effort of President Roosevelt, as it was of President McKinley, to maintain these good relations.

"There is only one point of danger, and to assure peace we must protect ourselves in that direction. Firmly but quietly the Monroe Doctrine must be rigidly upheld. The entrance of any great European power into the American hemisphere, either by the acquisition of territory or the establishment of forts and naval stations, would be the instant menace of the peace we are so anxious to maintain.

"The best insurance and the best guarantee of peace are in the possession of a navy so strong that no nation of the world would be tempted to attack us. Complete preparation is the surest protection against war and war is what we wish to avoid, not only morally but economically, in every honorable way."

Senator Lodge is one of the leading Senators, and a man of force in the Senate, which would entitle his views to consideration; but he is more than that, he is an intimate friend of the President, and one of his trusted and confidential counsellors. He and Senator Quay were his strongest supporters for the nomination for the vice presidency, and finally forced Hanna to yield, The relations he, therefore, holds with the President, give special interest to his public declarations as far as they bear on public policies, and they may in a great measure be looked upon as foreshadowing the policies which the President will favor, as the public utterances of Senator Hanna and Gen. Grosvenor were, on account of the close relationship between them and President McKinley, looked upon as foreshadowing the policies he favored.

There is much of this speech with which there will be pretty general agreement throughout the country. There will be pretty general agreement on the question of reciprocity—the right kind of reciprocity—not a one-sided, jug-handled scheme, put up as a blind to tariff revision and which would give the protected interests practically as much control and monopoly of the home market as they have now. But while talking and favoring reciprocity the Republican statesmen are at sea as to what kind of reciprocity they will favor, whether reciprocity on general principles, or in particular cases provided for by treaty with countries whose trade we wish to cultivate, while some are working to dodge the question by turning the whole business over to the President and vesting him with authority to deal with the question with each nation respectively in accordance with his judgment, reducing duties in special cases where in his opinion that is advisable as a means of promoting trade.

That's the course, we think, that Senator Lodge favors, as the shortest way out of the tangle that a reciprocity discussion might cause, and also a way for dodging such tariff revision as substantial reciprocity would necessitate.

The people of this country are in favor of measures to promote the establishment of a merchant marine, but they are not in favor of a subsidy grab, which would go into the pockets of few schemers and leave the country without the kind of a merchant marine that would ensure the purpose for which such a marine is desired. The people are not in favor of levying that $9,000,000 a year, or any other sum, to help ship owners to pay the expenses of running ships, without any assurance that they would get better service or lower transportation rates than they do now, nor to put money into the coffers of ship builders who now have more work than their yards can turn out, all of which could be avoided by removing the antiquated restrictions and permitting American capitalists who desire to engage in the ocean carrying business to buy their ships where they please and run them under their own flag, as the seafarers of other nations do. It isn't a question of a merchant marine; there is no difference of opinion as to the desirability of that; it is only a question of how to get it, whether to get it honestly, without taxing the people unnecessarily, or by robbing the people of millions for a fictitious merchant marine and putting those millions into the pockets of schemers who may have a pull on the party leaders and law makers.

The people are in favor of a navy strong enough to command the respect of other naval powers and to protect our interests at home and abroad. The fact that other leading maritime nations are constantly adding to their fleets, necessitates the strengthening of our navy, and no one will object to that if the work be carried on within reasonable bounds.

Senator Lodge is an expansonist on general principles and also takes an expansion view of the Monroe doctrine which he stretches to its fullest possible limit, and makes it bar out not only attempts to infringe on the territorial possessions of the Republics South of us, but also colonies from other countries and concessions granting the right to European countries to own coaling stations on this hemisphere. This is going considerably further than the drafters of the Monroe Doctrine contemplated, especially in view of the fact that this Government has virtually nullified the Monroe Doctrine by crossing over to the other hemisphere, taking forcible possession of territory, and establishing fortified coaling stations thousands of miles from our own coasts.

Leaving out of question the coaling stations, which in these days of commerce by steam are a necessity, and to which other nations do not object, when we took forcible possession of foreign territory and declared our supremacy over it, we probably nullified the Monroe Doctrine and gave other countries ground to claim that they have as much right to carry out their plans on this hemisphere as this country has to carry out its plans on the Eastern hemisphere.

GEN. BROOKE SLOPS OVER

Before he left China Gen. Chaffee was given a farewell dinner by the English officers, and in the course of his response to a toast slopped over so much in eulogizing Great Britain and our fraternal relations that he subjected himself to some pretty severe criticisms. In answer he admitted the remarks criticised, but said they were made at a social gathering in good fellowship and were not intended for publication. A few days ago Gen. Brooke, at the dinner of an English society in New York, responded to a toast, and slopped over in the following style:

"England has never conquered any country but for that country's good. This we hope will be said of America in future ages. The Anglo Saxon race seems destined to bear Republican institutions throughout the whole world.

"Lord Kitchener has immense difficulties in his way, but the flag of England will in time proclaim freedom to all the lands of South Africa.

"Otis, Merritt, MacArthur and Chaffee have been doing a similar duty in the Philippines, the same duty to God and country. The Pacific Ocean is no longer the western boundary of our land. By the arbitrament of war the great Philippine archipelago has been thrown into our hands, and it is our duty to care for its people and to teach them liberty."

This would be bad enough if simply the utterance of an individual speaking for himself, but in this instance Gen. Brooke spoke for, or at least assumed to speak for, his country and practically made it endorse the war on the Boers and the methods resorted to crush out these stubborn defenders of their country and their hearths. There are millions of people in this country, however friendly they may feel to Great Britain, who do not endorse that war and who trust that England may be foiled in her efforts to rob those more than Spartan heroes of the liberty for which they have been so gallantly and gloriously fighting. When Gen. Brooke uttered the rot he did he discredited himself as the wearer of a soldier's uniform, speaking as a representative of his country. But, possibly, as this was a banquet speech, where something besides solids were partaken of, that may account for this slop over.

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THE VETERANS PASSING AWAY

The veterans who took part on both sides in the war between the States are passing away. It will not be many years before the rear guard of these great armies will have crossed the river, and they, with the stirring events in which they played such prominent parts, will figure only on the historic page. The following official table shows how the Union veterans have passed away since June 30, 1895. It is from the report of the Adjutant General of the G. A. R., read at the last encampment at Cleveland, Ohio:

	Membership.	Loss from previous year.
June 30, 1895....	357,630	37,031
June 30, 1896....	340,610	17,029
June 30, 1897....	319,456	21,154
June 30, 1898....	305,603	13,853
June 30, 1899....	287,981	17,622
June 30, 1900....	276,662	11,216
June 30, 1901....	269,507	7,055

There is a loss by dash of 88.123 in six years, and the probabilities are that the loss for the next six and suceeding years will be greater in proportion as time and age creeps on the veterans. A generation has passed since the war and the living veterans are pretty well advanced in years now, so that we may naturally expect a larger mortality among them.

A somewhat remarkable thing in this connection, however, is that notwithstanding the large decrease in the number of veterans, the pension roll continues to grow and is now larger than it ever was, which might lead to the inquiry, "where do all the pensioners come from?"

CURRENT COMMENT

—— All advocates of ship subsidy are forced to admit that every ship yard is busy; that the tonnage of each year exceeds the tonnage of the preceding years, and that ship building is going on just as rapidly as the capacity of our shipbuilding plants will permit. Why subsidize a booming industry?—*Augusta Chronicle, Dem.*

—— Nearly 20 per cent. of all the soldiers engaged in the Spanish-American war are now on the pension rolls, or trying to get on, says the report of Commissioner Evans. That's right; let's get the whole shooting match on the list, and then maybe the people will open their eyes to the fact that they are being systematically robbed by an active army of attorneys, solicitors and pension drummers, who are, as the commissioner says, practically licensed by the government with the promise of $25 for each claim allowed.—*Chattanooga Times, Ind.*

—— The Steel Trust evidently deems it advisable to dissipate the notion spread abroad by sensational sheets, that it is throwing away stockholders' money on favorites; for, at last, the statement that it is paying President Schwab $1,000,000 a year salary is openly contradicted by the statement that his salary is $100,000, with a quarter per cent. fee contingent on earnings after deducting fixed charges and dividends. These this year reached $50,000,000, so that his receipts from the fee amounted to $125,000. But, of course, he gets his dividends on his stock, as other stockholders do.—*Brooklyn Citizen, Dem.*

Presiding Elder's Appointments, Wilmington District.

Burgaw church, Burgaw, Nov. 13.
Jacksonville and Richlands, Richlands, Nov. 15.
Onslow, Tabernacle, Nov. 16, 17.
Scott's Hill church, Scott's Hill Nov. 18.
Waccamaw, Nov. 22.
Whiteville, Chadbourn, Nov. 23, 24.
Bladen street, Nov. 27.
Market street, Nov. 28.
Kenansville, Charity, Nov. 29.
Magnolia, Providence, Nov. 30, Dec. 1.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Greenville *Reflector:* Mrs. Susan M. Hanrahan died Tuesday night at her home near Grifton. She was the widow of the late Mr. James A. Hanrahan.

— Mr. M. E. Terry, who resides on one of Capt. W. I Everett's sand-hill farms, showed us a number of the largest ears of corn we ever saw, some of the ears measuring thirteen inches in length.

— Chadbourn *Messenger*: Last Saturday night while Dan Shaw and James Herring were out hunting, a gun in the hands of Shaw was accidently discharged, one of the shot striking Herring in the head and fracturing his skull. He died Tuesday night.

— Elizabeth City *Carolinian*: There is a scarcity of teachers for the white schools in Carteret and Craven counties. —— State Engineer J. H. McRee has practically completed the boundary survey of the State swamp lands in Tyrell county. He says he thinks the land sold to the Branning Lumber Company will take up all the timber.

— Carthage *Blade*: Measles have struck Carthage in full force. Everybody who has hot had measles, from the babies up, are having their share. —— Mr. W. Garter, of Carter's Mill, made an assignment this week to U. L. Spence, assignee. Mr. Carter has for twenty years been a leading merchant of this county.

— Monroe *Enquirer*: There was a hold robbery at Mr Daniel Walkup's, in Jackson township, last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Walkup were away at the time and a boy about 13 years old was left in charge of their home. Two negroes came up and one of them drew a pistol on the boy and proceeded to fill up large bags with a lot of seed cotton, which they carried off. The negroes were arrested last Monday and are in jail awaiting trial.

— Asheville *Citizen*: The machinery for the electric power plant at Ivy is to be started this week and power will be sent over the wires to the Asheville Electric Company. The dam is an enormous one—75 feet high—and crosses the stream where it runs between high and very steep mountains. Though the amount of power which will be brought here at the start will be comparatively small, and will be utilized for lighting, later a much larger amount will be brought and used here.

— Greensboro *Record*: E. D. Steele, of High Point, was in the city Wednesday night returning from a trip to Moore county where he consummated a deal in some coal lands for Northern capital, making the first payment on it Wednesday. It is said it is very valuable and that the mine will at once be put in operation. The deposits of coal are good, the quality having been tested thoroughly. The supply is also said to be well nigh inexhaustible so far as can be told. The property is known as the Wilcox coal lands. If it turns out as expected it will be a great thing for this part of the country as well as for the owners who are putting their money in it.

— Windsor *Ledger*: Monday the partially decomposed body of a colored man, the skull fractured by a blow with an axe, was found in a weed marsh near the farm of Mr. S. A. Hadley, about two miles from Williamston, and John Watts, a half-witted white man, and Kenny Page were arrested and lodged in jail to await trial at the next term of the criminal court. Watts has confessed to the killing of the negro, Dempsey Bond, of Bertie county, and his story implicates Page, who admits that he knew of the crime and who guided an officer to the place where the decaying corpse was found. Dempsey Bond was last seen alive in Williamston on Sunday, October 10th.

— Wadesboro *Messenger-Intelligencer*: The firm of T. L. Covington & Co., well known merchants of Rockingham, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. The liabilities are $22,500 and the assets $18,850. The principal creditors of the firm live in Rockingham and are: H. C. Watson, $2,000; Bank of Pee Dee, $1,500; John S. Covington, $865; James A. Covington, $600; Mrs. R. A. Covington, $916 25. The only other large debt the firm owes is due Will Well, of Charlotte, whose claim is for $1.300. —— Will Sturdivant, alias Will Flowers, the negro who was shot at McFarlan, some time ago, by officers who were attempting to arrest him, had a preliminary hearing before Esqs. I. H. Horton and W. E. Pennington Monday. The charge against Sturdivant was rape and incest, but there was no rape, and held him for court only on the charges of incest and adultery. Sturdivant's victim was a girl of 14 years of age at the time the crime is alleged to have been committed, and is his aunt. He was re-committed to jail in default of bond, which was placed at $200.

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TWINKLINGS

Cutting Remark: Hanger-on—What's making that rasping noise in the next room? Baliff—I think it's a woman filing an application for divorce.—*Life.*

— "De reason some of us doesn't git along," said Uncle Eben, "Is dat we sit down dreamin' of automobiles when we orter be pushin a wheel-barrer."—*Judge.*

— Smithly—Speaking of bashful people! Why, up where I board one fellow has eaten at the table a whole month without opening his mouth.—*Chicago News.*

— After the Surgical Operation: Barber—What will you have on your face, witch hazel or bay rum? Patron—"Naither wan nor the other. Just put on plain court plaster!—*Puck.*

— Your son is a senior at the University, isn't he?" "Yes." "And he graduates next June?" "No; he's going to fail in his examinations so he can be on the football team another season."—*Cleveland Plain Dealer.*

— What He Missed—"Yes; they call it a 'rural play;' but it seems to me there's something lacking." "Why, so there is; there's no mortgage on the farm."—*Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.*

— "What's the trouble between you and Miss Flitey?" "It's all my stupidity. I told her she was an angel so many times that she actually believes it, and now I can't get her within a hundred yards of the earth."—*Cleveland Plain Dealer.*

— The Other Extreme—"Miss Lavinia," said the Rev. Dr. Fourthly, while making his pastoral call, "you want to go to heaven, do you not?" "Y yes, sir," replied the fourteen-year old daughter of the family, "but I think I'd like to visit Paris first."—*Chicago Tribune.*

— Those Girls Again—Tess—"I saw her in her new dress to-day, and she seemed really happy. Isn't it remarkable?" Jess—"How remarkable?" Tess—"That some people can seem happy, no matter how they look."—*Philadelphia Press.*

— "Oh, come, now, I s'y!" exclaimed the Britisher, "you must admit we're ahead of you in a grate many w'ys." "In one great particular I admit that you are," said the Yankee. "And that is?" "Time. It's 8 o'clock in London, and it's only 3 here."—*Philadelphia Record.*

— "Isn't it delightiful to see the little lambking gambol on the green?" murmured Mrs. Sweepstakes, who was out carriage riding with her husband. "Gamble on the green!" he echoed, as he swoke from a reverie and had visions of a fat jackpot and a baize table. "Gamble on the green! Why, the wicked little cusses!"—*Columbus Journal.*

URBAN POULTRY RAISING.

Difficulties That Beset the Fancier In New York City.

Few of those interested in the exhibition of poultry and pigeons have any idea of the number of fancy birds that are hatched and raised right in New York. Not all fanciers of fine pigeons and poultry can find the time or money to go into the country and start a small farm to breed and raise their pets, and so they make the best of their surroundings.

In the upper part of the city there are some dozens of poultry yards where prize winners at the show were reared. More than one fancier has converted his back yard into a poultry farm, where under the cover of wire netting the birds do almost as well as if in the country with ample room and breathing space.

"We have to be very careful in handling the cocks, or they will be complained of as nuisances," explained one of these up town fanciers. "Before the upper west side was built up I had one of the best amateur collections of poultry and pigeons in the state, but neighbors crowded closer to me, and complaints began to come in about my birds. To keep on a friendly footing with my neighbors I tried various ways of suppressing the early morning enthusiasm of the cocks. I kept them in dark coops until I got up in the morning, but they would crow in spite of this, and the muffled noises sounded even worse than the unobstructed variety. I believe a rooster can tell when it is daylight if shut up in the darkest place in the world.

"I tried next to shut them up in the cellar, driving them in there every night and closing the doors and windows. Even this was not sufficient until I padded the windows so that the sound could not escape. In that way I have succeeded in the past few years in keeping my fancy poultry without annoying the neighbors."

Down town there are several incubator companies that make it a business to hatch eggs in their establishments for the benefit of their customers. Several incubators are kept full of eggs all the time, and great numbers of young chicks are hatched every week. These are allowed to run at large in the windows for a week or two or until they are sold.

There are several dozen pigeon lofts in different parts of the city. Some fancy birds are raised in these city lofts, and they invariably find their way into the annual show at Madison Square Garden. Nearly all the lofts are on the top of private houses or apartment houses. If liberally fed on the roof of their own house, they will always return home at night, and the breeders have little difficulty in keeping them. There is no danger from irresponsible gunners or from rats and mice, so that the mortality among the city pigeons is really less than in the country. In the country the young squabs are invariably annoyed by rats and mice and even by owls and other night birds. In the summer time night birds of prey are attracted to the city by the pigeon lofts, and quite a number can be seen hovering over the roofs of houses after dark.

"I should say that if the census of the pigeons kept in New York could be taken today there would be found a thousand or two," said one of the breeders. "I have definite knowledge of 20 different lofts of 20 to 50 pigeons each, and I suppose there are many more. Most of these pigeons are the common kinds, with a few fancy tumblers, fantails and carriers. There are a number of expert fanciers with their lofts in the city, and they raise some of the finest birds found at the exhibitions."—New York Post.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Produce Exchange.]

STAR OFFICE, November 15.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market firm at 95c per barrel bid for strained and $1.00 per barrel bid for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.25 per barrel of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.10 per barrel for hard, $2.00 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine steady at 41½@40½; rosin steady at $1.20@1.25; tar steady at $1.55; crude turpentine firm at $1.40@2.40.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	40
Rosin	321
Tar	226
Crude turpentine	114

Receipts same day last year—70 casks spirits turpentine, 316 barrels rosin, 106 barrels tar, 51 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 7⅛c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	4 15-16	cts ₰ lb
Good ordinary	6 5-16	" "
Low middling	6 15-16	" "
Middling	7⅛	" "
Good middling	7 13-16	" "

Same day last year, market firm at 9⅛c for middling.

Receipts—2,476 bales; same day last year, 788.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime 60c; extra prime, 65c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 70c. Virginia—Prime, 55c; extra prime, 60c; fancy, 65c. Spanish, 60@65c.

CORN—Firm: 75 to 77c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 12@13c; sides, 12@13c.

EGGS—Firm at 18@19c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 25@28c; springs, 10@20c.

TURKEYS—Dressed, firm at 12½@15c; live, 9@10c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 40@50c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—Money on call easier at 2½@5 per cent., last loan at 2½ per cent., ruling rate 4½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange very strong, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487¾@487⅞ for demand and at 484½@484⅝ for sixty days. The posted rates were 485@485½ and 488½. Commercial bills 483¾@484½. Bar silver 56½. Mexican dollars 45. Government bonds steady. State bonds steady. Railroad bonds were irregular. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 108⅜; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 108⅜; U. S. 3's, reg'd 108½; do. coupon, 108½; U. S. 4's, new reg'd, 139; do. coupon 139; U. S. 4's, old reg'd, 112⅜; do. coupon, 112⅜; U. S. 5's, do. reg'd, 107; coupon, 107; Southern Railway 5's 120½. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 107½; Chesapeake & Ohio 46½; Manhattan L 130½; N. Y. Central 162⅜; Reading 46; do. 1st pref'd 78½; do. 2nd pref'd 56½; St. Paul 170½; do. pref'd, 189; Southern R'way 33¼; do. pref'd 90⅜; Amalgamated Copper 87½; American Tobacco ——; People's Gas 103⅞; Sugar 119⅜; Tennessee Coal and Iron 63; U. S. Leather 12½; do. pref'd, 81½; Western Union 90⅝; U. S. Steel 43½; do. preferred 92⅞; Mexican National 13⅜; Standard Oil 698@703; Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., 61½; do. preferred 122½

BALTIMORE, Nov. 15.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 27¼@27½; do. preferred, 51⅛@51½; do 4s 85⅞@86.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—Rosin steady. Strained common to good $1 50. Spirits turpentine dull and easy at 37½@38c.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 15.—Spirits turpentine firm at 34½c; sales 125 casks. Rosin firm and unchanged; sales 500 barrels.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 15.—Spirits turpentine steady at 35½c; receipts 1,148 casks; sales 868 casks; exports 2,713 casks Rosin firm; receipts 3,788 barrels; sales 1,716 barrels; exports — barrels. Prices unchanged.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—The cotton market opened steady with prices unchanged to five points higher. Wall street and room buying, chiefly late months, caused the early steadiness. Prospects of lighter receipts and a cold weather map were the bases for the early purchases, these influences at the same time serving to check selling for either account. But soon after the call bear leaders raided the market, breaking January down from 7.59 to 7.50 within a few minutes. A sharp break in Liverpool and light liquidation by room longs gave the market a weak appearance for the moment. When the bear pressure was removed, however, the market immediately exhibited a strong undertone and for the rest of the forenoon worked steadily higher, January to 7.60 on good Wall street support, buying for Southern account and demand from shorts. Trading at the time was quite active with sentiment as to the immediate future decidedly bullish. The forecast indicated general frost in the belt with freezing temperatures over important areas in the territories and northern Louisiana. Southern markets were firmer on export demand, with holders disposed to hold off. Aside from Wall street buying local commission houses were rather slimly supplied with orders. Near the close profit-taking carried prices off a point or two. The close was barely steady and net three points lower to one point higher.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—Cotton quiet at 8c; net receipts 857 bales; gross 2,096 bales; stock 76,706 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 8c; middling gulf 8¼c; sales 78 bales.

Futures closed barely steady; November 7.50, December 7.54, January 7.54, February 7.51, March 7.52, April 7.52, May 7.53, June 7.53, July 7.53, August 7.43.

Total to-day—Net receipts 49,824 bales; exports to Great Britain 9,746 bales; exports to the Continent 22,012 bales; stock 783,820 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 327,100 bales; exports to Great Britain 14,657 bales; exports to France 11,608 bales; exports to the Continent 71,254 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 2,726,526 bales; exports to Great Britain 952,097 bales; exports to France 234,635 bales; exports to the Continent 738,912 bales.

Nov. 15—Galveston, steady at 7⅛c, net receipts 13,238 bales; Norfolk, firm at 7 5-16c, net receipts 1,253 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 7⅝c, net receipts 6,287 bales; Boston, quiet at 8c, net receipts 1,097 bales; Wilmington, firm at 7⅛c, net receipts 2,476 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 8¼c, net receipts 509 bales; Savannah, quiet and steady, 7⅛c, net receipts 9,609 bales; New Orleans steady at 7 5-16c, net receipts 10,334 bales; Mobile, steady at 7 3-16c, net receipts 617 bales; Memphis, steady at 7 3-16c, net receipts 4,678 bales; Augusta, steady at 7 7-16c, net receipts 1,535 bales; Charleston, steady at 7⅛c, net receipts 1,913 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—Flour was fairly active and firmer with wheat. Wheat—spot firm; No. 2 red 83⅛c; options opened barely steady, reflecting bearish cables, but promptly recovering, held firm most of the session, Including Wall street and foreign buying, there was active outside demand again with very little for sale. The market closed firm at ⅝@¾c advance. Sales: May closed 81⅞c; December 80⅛c. Corn—spot market firmer; No. 2, 68c; the options market was firm and active on renewed cash demand West, light offerings, good speculative buying and sympathy with wheat. Closed firm and ⅜@⅝c higher. Sales—May closed 68c; December 67⅞c. Oats—spot stronger; No. 2, 46c; options firmer, quiet. Lard firm; Western steam $8 85; refined steady. Pork dull. Rice quiet. Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 6⅛c; mild, quiet; Cordova 7½@11c. Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining 3 3 16c; centrifugal 96 test, 3 11-16c; refined sugar dull. Butter firm; creamery 17@24½c; State dairy 15@23c. Cheese steady; fancy large October 9¼@9⅝c; fancy small do. 9½@10c. Eggs firm; State and Pennsylvania 26@27c; uncandied 22@26c; Western do. 24@27. Potatoes steady; Jerseys $1 50@1 75; New York $1 50@2 12½; Long Island $2 00@2 25; Jersey sweets $1 50@1 75. Cabbage steady; Long Island Flat Dutch, per 100, $3 00@3 00. Peanuts steady; fancy hand picked 4@4¼c; other domestic 2½@3¾c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 13c. Cotton seed oil fairly steady with few sales. Quotations: Prime crude barrels nominal; prime summer yellow 34½c; off summer yellow 34c; prime white 38@@39c; prime winter yellow 38@39c; prime meal $25 00.

CHICAGO November 15—A strong bullish feeling prevailed in the grain markets to-day as a result of a continued heavy demand in the coarse grains. December wheat closed ⅛c higher, December corn ⅛@⅛c up and December oats ⅛@⅛c higher. Provisions closed a shade lower to 2½c higher.

CHICAGO, Nov. 15.—Cash quotations: Flour firm. Wheat—No. 3 spring 67@71⅛c; No. 2 red 74½@74⅞c. Corn—No. 2 —c; No. 2 yellow 62c. Oats—No. 2 41½@42¼c; No. 2 white 44½@44¾c; No. 3 white 43⅜@44½c. Rye—No. 2 60½@61c. Mess pork, per barrel, $13 75@13 80. Lard, per 100 lbs., $8 50@8 52½. Short rib sides, loose, $7 80@7 95. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $7 25@7 50. Short clear sides, boxed, $8 15@8 25 Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 31.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 November 71½, 72½, 71⅞, 72½c; December 72½@72¼, 72⅝, 72½, 72⅝@72⅞c; May 75½@75⅞, 76½, 75⅝, 76⅜c. Corn—No. 2 November 59⅞c; December 59⅞@60⅛, 60¼, 59⅞, 60½@60⅝c; May 63½@63, 63⅝@63¼, 62⅞, 63⅛c. Oats—December 39⅜, 40⅛, 39¼, 40⅛@40⅛; May 41@41⅛, 41⅜, 41, 41⅛@41⅜c. Mess pork, per bbl—January $14 90, 15 05, 14 87½, 15 00; May $15 10, 15 22½, 15 05, 15 20. Lard, per 100 lbs—December $8 45, 8 50, 8 45, 8 50; January $8 52½, 8 52½, 8 47½, 8 52½; May $8 67½, 8 67½, 8 60, 8 67½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $7 67½, 7 67½, 7 65, 7 67½; May $7 77½, 7 82½, 7 77½, 7 82½.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 15, 4:30 P. M.—Cotton: Spot, moderate business; prices 1-16d higher; American middling fair 4 19-32d; good middling 4 13-32d; low middling 4 7-32d; good ordinary 4 3-32d; ordinary 3 27-32d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 7,400 bales American. Receipts 10,000 bales, including 9,900 bales American.

Futures opened quiet and closed steady; American middling (g. o. c) November 4 11-64d buyer; November and December 4 8-64d seller; December and January 4 6-64@4 7-64d buyer; January and February 4 6-64d buyer; February and March 4 6-64d buyer; March and April 4 6-64d buyer; April and May 4 6-64d buyer; May and June 4 6-64d buyer; June and July 4 6-64d buyer; July and August 4 6-64d buyer.

MARINE.

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EXPORTS.

FOREIGN.

MIDDLESBOROUGH, ENG—Norwegian barque Amal, 4,539 barrels rosin, valued at $5,465 80; cargo by S P Shotter Co; vessel by Heide & Co.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., November 16, 1901.

STEAMSHIPS.

Tripoli, (Br) 1,687 tons, Barber, J H Sloan.
Wandby, (Br) 2,580 tons, Pearson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Polano, (Br) 1,898 tons, Holttum, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Wragsby, (Br) 2,371 tons, Maxfield, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

Warner Moore, 412 tons, Crockett, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Harold J McCarty, 297 tons, Flynn, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Venus, 194 tons, Foxwell, George Harriss, Son & Co.

BARQUES.

Charles Loring, 525 tons, Blatchford, George Harriss, Son & Co.

BRIGS.

Dixon Rice, 196 tons, Carty, George Harriss, Son & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—420 bales cotton, 33 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,314 bales cotton, 7 casks spirits turpentine, 17 barrels rosin, 22 barrels tar, 10 barrels crude turpentine.

C. C. Railroad—177 bales cotton, 8 casks spirits turpentine, 247 barrels rosin, 33 barrels tar, 6 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—392 bales cotton, 8 casks spirits turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—152 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 12 barrels crude turpentine.

Schooner Ruth J.—5 casks spirits turpentine, 25 barrels rosin, 6 barrels tar, 25 barrels crude turpentine.

Schooner Adele—11 barrels tar.

Schooner Minnie Ward—18 barrels tar.

Schooner Glide—1 bale cotton, 32 barrels rosin.

Henry's flat—7 barrels tar.

Steamer Driver—20 bales cotton, 10 casks spirits turpentine, 75 barrels tar, 21 barrels crude turpentine.

C. Larkins' flat—4 barrels rosin, 7 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—2,476 bales cotton, 40 casks spirits turpentine, 321 barrels rosin, 226 barrels tar, 114 barrels crude turpentine.

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BREEDING FOR EGGS.

A Few Suggestions on How to Get 200 Eggs Per Hen Per Year.

More poultry men and women get from 100 to 125 eggs per hen per year than over that amount. And why? There are only four reasons why—first, the stock; second, the houses; third, the seed; fourth, the care given. Again, there are only two classes who make money by keeping poultry—the person who has only a few and the one who makes it a business. Two hundred eggs per hen per year are not an unusual event, and there is no reason why every poultryman should not have that kind.

It is not necessary to have trap nests to find out your layers. The poultryman who has to use them for that purpose is not the one to make a success of poultry keeping, because if he has to depend on a contrivance it is only proof that he cannot place any dependence on himself. As soon as one has to rely on others it is high time that he gives up the business. If you want to find your layers, stay with your fowls, pick them out, hang up a daily egg record and watch it. If you have not the time for this, then you certainly belong to the middle class. Unless you give the fowls all your time you cannot expect them to make money for you. Unless you know your fowls they will not make you money, even if you do give them all your time. If you have a hen that is a known layer and she is undersized or too large, don't breed from her. If you do, you are wasting both time and money.

Stock has greatly improved in the past five years, but egg production has not. When poultrymen devote more time trying to find out which way and how is the best to feed, then they will increase the egg production. Because John Jones tells you that his way of feeding is the best that is no reason why you should adopt it until you know it to be a fact. Because Sam Jones tells you that one variety of chickens will lay more than the others don't sell what you have and get them until you know it is so. Poultrymen are too ready to listen to the other fellow.

My method of obtaining and holding great layers is as follows, no matter what the variety kept:

As soon as the pullets are fully matured they are carefully watched. As soon as one starts to lay she is removed to her permanent quarters, punch marked, a record hung up, date of hatch, pen hatched from, etc. This goes on until pens are full. Those that are backward in starting are put in a different building, we counting them as culls. The pullets and records are carefully watched. We do not breed from these as pullets, but will breed from the cream of them as yearlings. They are now yearlings, and we start to hatch. Each egg is marked with pen number. When put in incubators, same is set down in a ledger for that purpose, also giving the number of male bird and what pen he was hatched from. When the eggs are due to hatch, they are put in pedigreed egg trays. This keeps each pen of chicks separate. They are then punch marked and placed in brooders, which are grouped in colonies, separated with fine mesh wire, so that the chicks cannot get mixed. The cockerels are removed as soon as possible and fattened for market. We pick out a few, those that we think will make extra good ones, and then turn them on free range. Soon the pullets are removed, each lot to a separate house and yard, and then we wait for the first eggs.

You must start your feeding for heavy laying soon after the chick is hatched. This part of poultry keeping is entirely too much neglected. I believe more damage is done by letting the cockerels remain with the pullets while growing than from any other cause. It will put them back two months in their laying, and they will never make as good birds. It certainly stunts them. A pullet must be in the best of condition if you expect her to be a heavy layer, and you must keep her that way if you want her to keep on laying. My experience teaches me that we must have large framed birds, and to get that kind you must start feeding as a little chick. You can put on flesh any time, but there is only one time to form large bones, and that is on the start.—C. A. Durling.

White Holland Turkey.

The illustration shows a white Holland turkey hen. These birds are very popular with many poultrymen, and in some markets they are preferred to the bronze or other breeds.

Food For Late Chicks.

With chicks hatched in May the same treatment as is given the early broods will suffice. With June and July chicks, however, this will not do. While, in my opinion, it is never advisable to give soft food to youngsters intended ultimately for breeders, it is little less than murder to feed it to late chicks. It is well enough to say it can be fed in troughs and that the troughs can be cleaned out, but it has been my experience that no matter how careful one may naturally be this important duty is often neglected. For that reason, therefore, if for no other, the late chicks should have nothing but dry food.—Treat M. Right in Poultry Monthly.

How to Remove Gloves.

In taking off the glove never begin at the finger ends, for that stretches them. Turn the glove over at the wrist and pull gently, as though peeling it off. After the glove is removed from the hand turn it right side out, smoothing and straightening the fingers into place. Blow into the glove gently and then let them air a few moments, after which wrap them in tissue paper.

How to Make Veal Loaf.

Chop very fine three pounds of veal (the leg is best for this purpose) and one-half pound of salt pork, one cupful rolled cracker crumbs, two eggs; season with pepper, chopped parsley, lemon juice and a little salt if needed; mix well together and roll into a loaf; use white of egg with a little water and roll in cracker crumbs; bake one hour; eat cold.

How to Serve Chipped Beef.

Melt a tablespoonful of butter in a frying pan and add some dried beef chipped into small pieces when the butter is hot. Beat up one egg and mix it well with a scant teacupful of milk. Season it with pepper and pour over the beef in the pan. When a thin custard is formed, serve on slices of buttered toast.

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Late Hatched Chicks.

My experience with late hatched chickens has been very satisfactory. When hatched during the latter part of July and first of August and given free range where they have access to plenty of shade and fresh water, they grow remarkably fast and can be sold to market at a good profit before snow flies, or if given good winter quarters they make the best kind of spring and summer layers. I have used them for April and May breeding and find them equal to early ones.

These late chicks seem to do as well one year as another here in north Jersey.

I consider it "almost" as profitable to grow late chicks as early ones if given proper attention.—W. H. Cypheas in Farm Poultry.

It May Be Indigestion.

If you imagine your chickens have symptoms of cholera, keep food from them, and in a majority of cases you will find their ailment is indigestion due to overfeeding.

A Fireman's Close Call.

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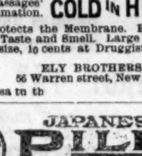

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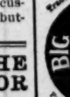

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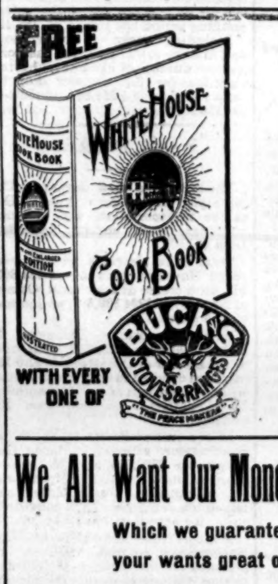

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WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	10 50 p m	7 23 a m
Ar Monroe	12 20 a m	9 05 a m
Ar Charlotte	.....	10.01 a m
Ar Chester	1 42 a m	10 20 a m
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Ar Athens	6 28 a m	2 40 p m
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Ar Savannah	4 52 a m	1 47 p m
Ar Jacksonville	9.15 a m	5 10 p m
Ar Tampa	5 40 p m	6.15 a m

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Lv Hamlet	10.35 p m	8 00 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 24 a m	10 37 a m
Ar Norlina	3.18 a m	12 23 p m
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Ar Raleigh	1 24 a m	10.37 a m
Ar Norlina	3 18 a m	12.23 p m
Ar Petersburg	5 48 a m	2 45 p m
Ar Richmond	6 32 a m	3 31 p m
Ar Washington	10 10 a m	7 05 p m
Ar Baltimore	11 35 a m	11.25 p m
Ar New York	4 25 p m	5 30 a m

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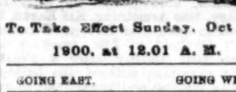

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	
....	4 22	Kinston	10 12	
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 22	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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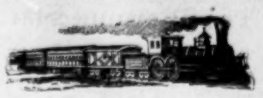

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DEPARTURE FROM WILMINGTON—NORTH BOUND.

DAILY 9.30 A. M. — No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 11.05 A. M., Warsaw 11.21 A. M., Goldsboro 12.21 P. M., Wilson 1.18 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.40 P. M., Tarboro 2.21 P. M. Weldon 4.32 P. M., Petersburg 6.26 P. M., Richmond 7.22 P. M., Norfolk 5.5? P. M., Washington 11.20 P. M. Baltimore 1.03 A. M., Philadelphia 3.50 A. M., New York 6.53 A. M., †Boston 3.?? P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. — No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.30 P. M., Warsaw 8.43 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 6.46 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.23 P. M., Weldon 1.30 A. M., †Norfolk 1.50 P. M., Petersburg 3.43 A. M., Richmond 3.20 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.20 A. M., Philadelphia 10.35 A. M., New York 1.03 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 3.24 P. M. — No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M. Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. — No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.56 P. M., Chadbourn 5.30 P. M., Marion 6.40 P. M., Florence 7.25 P. M., Sumter 9.12 P. M., Columbia 10.35 P. M., Denmark 5.55 A. M., Augusta 7.56 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 2.1 A. M., Jacksonville 5.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M. — No. 53—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.05 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.25 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 6.15 P. M. — No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston 1.20 P. M., New York 9.30 P. M., Philadelphia 12.20 A. M., Baltimore 2.55 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.06 A. M., Petersburg 9.48 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.52 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.25 P. M., Warsaw 4.25 P. M., Magnolia 4.40 P. M.

DAILY 9.25 A. M. — No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 8.55 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., Baltimore 1.45 P. M., Washington 3.12 P. M., Richmond 6.57 P. M., Petersburg 7.45 P. M., ‡Norfolk 8.30 P. M., Weldon 9.10 P. M., †Tarboro 6.53 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.15 A. M. Leave Wilson 5.57 A. M., Goldsboro 6.45 A. M., Warsaw 7.30 A. M., Magnolia 7.53 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. — No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.26 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.25 P. M. — No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.00 A. M., Sanford 2.25 P. M., Jacksonville 8.00 P. M., Savannah 1.30 A. M., Charleston 6.45 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M., Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.20 P. M., Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.05 P. M., Florence 9.55 A. M., Marion 10.35 A. M., Chadbourn 11.41 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.13 A. M.

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 7.15 P. M. — No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 3.05 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 4.20 P. M., leave Fayetteville 4.30 P. M.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.10 A. M., Maxton 9.05 A. M., Red Springs 9.32 A. M., Parkton 10.05 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 11.10 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.45 P. M., Hope Mills 5.00 P. M., Red Springs 5.43 P. M., Maxton 6.16 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10.18 A. M., arrives Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.15 P. M., Halifax 3.29 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 4.10 P. M., Greenville 5.47 P. M., Kinston 6.45 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.30 A. M., Greenville 8.30 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.05 A. m., Weldon 11.20 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 A. M. and 2.45 P. M.; arrive Parmele 8.55 A. M. and 4.10 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 11.10 A. M. and 5.12 P. M.; arrives Washington 12 30 A. M. and 6.15 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 4.35 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 6.35 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.30 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 9.50 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro daily except Sunday 5.00 A. M., arriving Smithfield 6.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7:00 A. M., arrives at Goldsboro 8:25 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 3.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.20 A. M., 4.03 P. M., Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.20 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 11.45 A. M.; 5.25 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M. 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily, except Sunday, 11.40 A. M. and 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton 6.45 A. M. and 2.50 P. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.13 A. M., arrive Latta 10.31 A. M., Dillon 10.42 A. M., Rowland 10.58 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.10 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.31 P. M., Latta 6.44 P. M., Pee Dee 7.06 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Chadbourn 11.50 A. M.; arrive Conway 1.30 P. M.; returning leave Conway 2.40 P. M. arrive Chadbourn 5.20 P. M., leave Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Elrod 8.10 A. M., returning leave Elrod 8.40 A. M., arrive Chadbourn 11.25 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 6.10 P. M., Manning 6.46 P. M.; arrive Lane's 7.30 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.27 A. M., Manning 9.17 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.50 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 8.40 A. M., †7.00 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 10 A. M., †8.20 P. M.; leave Georgetown 6.30 A. M.; †4.15 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.00 A. M.; †5.35 P. M.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 12.35 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 8.00 P.M.; arrive Darlington 8.25 P. M., Bennettsville 9.22 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.50 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M.

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Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.59 P. M., 10.40 P. M., arrive Selma 3.45 P. M. 11.18 P. M., Smithfield 3.02 P. M., Dunn 3.40 P. M. Fayetteville 4.25 P. M., 12 33 A. M., Rowland 6.06 P. M. returning leave Rowland 10.58 A. M., Fayetteville 12.30 P. M., 10.22 P. M., Dunn 1.04 P. M., Smithfield 1.43 P. M. Selma 1.50 P. M., 11.35 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.35 P. M., 12.13 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.02 A. M., Creston 4.51 A. M., arrive Denmark 5.48 A. M. Returning leave Denmark 4.20 P. M., Creston 5.15 P. M. Sumter 6.09 P. M. Daily.

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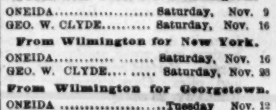

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SATURDAY MORNING, NOV. 16.

SOUTHERN COTTON SPINNERS' ASSOCIATION.

Elected Officers and Adjourned—Will Meet in Charleston Next Year—A Communication Read.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ATLANTA, Nov. 15.—The Southern Cotton Spinners' Association concluded its work to-day and adjourned *sine die*. Dr. J. H. McAden, of Charlotte, was re-elected president and C. B. Bryant, also of Charlotte, was chosen secretary and treasurer. The board of governors was increased from nine to fifteen, with D. A. Tompkins as chairman.

The invitation of Captain J. C. Hemphill of Charleston, that the spinners meet next year in the South Carolina city was accepted and the convention will be held in Charleston some time in May, 1902.

A communication was read from Edward Atkinson, of Boston, in which he made a plea for the manufacture of better goods and referred to the possibilities of the export trade along that line. The paper was referred to the board of governors.

A feature of the session was the address of R. H. Edmonds, editor of the *Manufacturers Record*, of Baltimore. He suggested that each manufacturer of the South endow a scholarship at some industrial school for the purpose of educating young men who were unable to bear the expenses of education. This, he said, would cost only a small amount—probably not more than $125 a year—and would prove of incalculable benefit to the South industrially.

REAR-END COLLISION.

Freight Train Wrecked On the Southern. Conductor and a Brakeman Killed.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—A rear end collision between two freight trains, at Wellington, Va., on the Manassas branch of the Southern Railway today caused the death of Conductor Ernest H. McDonald, of Alexandria, Virginia, and Brakeman Driver, of Lindville, Virginia. The wreck occurred between two west bound special freight trains at the siding at Wellington, which is a few miles north of Manassas. The engine of the colliding train was badly damaged and the caboose and several cars of the train were demolished. The unfortunate conductor and his brakeman were in the rear of the stationary train, and were almost instantly killed. The engineer and fireman of the other train which was moving at a high rate of speed, escaped with serious injury.

THE WORLD'S COTTON.

Hester's Statement of the Visible Supply. Total of American Cotton.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, November 15.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton issued to-day shows the total visible supply to be 3,175,622 bales, against 3,009,013 last week and 3,113,800 last year. Of this the total of American cotton is 2,734,622 bales, against 2,590,013 last week and 2,230,809 last year, and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 441,000 bales, against 419,000 last week and 483 000 last year.

Of the world's visible supply of cotton, there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 1,544,000 bales, against 1,530,000 last year; in Egypt 151,000 bales, against 137,000 last year; in India, 105,000 bales, against 166,000 last year, and in the United States 1,376,000 bales, against 1,391,000 last year.

NEW SEABOARD COMPANY.

Under Its New Jersey Charter Large Privileges Are Acquired.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—The new Seaboard Company, which has been incorporated in Trenton, N. J., will take over the controlling shares of the Seaboard Air Line Railway system. Under its New Jersey charter the New Seaboard Company acquires large privileges, including the right to build and operate over other lines, steamship lines, telephone and telegraph lines, and to deal in bonds and mortgages.

The authorized capital of the new company is five million dollars, but for the present, it is said, only $250,000 of the capital stock will be issued. In this company will be vested the absolute control of the Seaboard Air Line system.

There was a killing frost over Northern and Central Texas Thursday night. The indications are that it precludes further growth of top cotton.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT

For the Week Ending Friday, November 15th, 1901.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—The following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending November 15th, 1901:

	1901.	1900.
Net receipts at all U. S ports during the week.....	327,100	277,197
Total receipts to this date	2,726,536	2,787,241
Exports for week..	229,429	156,971
Total exports to date	1,925,644	1,984,625
Stock in all U. S. ports.	782,820	703,909
Stock at all interior towns.....	579,081	573,406
Stock in Liverpool,	291,000	365,000
American afloat for Great Britain	452,000	358,000

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JEFFRIES STILL THE CHAMPION.

The Victor of the Fight Last Night With Gus Ruhlin, the "Akron Giant."

ENDED IN THE FIFTH ROUND.

Was to Have Been a Twenty Round Struggle—Ruhlin Wilted and Surrendered, to the Amazement and Disgust of the Assembled Thousands.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 15.—In one of the most unsatisfactory prize fights ever witnessed in the country, James J. Jeffries proved the victor to-night over Gus Ruhlin, the Akron Giant. In the fifth round of what was to have been a twenty round struggle, Ruhlin wilted and then surrendered to his peer, to the utter amazement and disgust of the assembled thousands. No one was more surprised at the outcome than Jeffries himself, who asserted that while he had delivered one telling blow in the second round, he did not expect to win the victory so easily. Ruhlin's sole explanation of the outcome of the fight is that he received a chance blow which utterly disabled him and that Jeffries persisted in fighting him low.

It is estimated that there was something over $40,000 realized at the box office and of this 62½ per cent., divided in purses of 75 and 25 per cent., goes to the participants in to-night's event.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 15.—Before an assemblage of ten thousand people at the Mechanics Pavilion, which has been the scene of many bitter and important struggles in the past, James J. Jeffries, of Los Angeles, Cal., met Gus Ruhlin, the "Akron Giant" to-night and fought for the title Jeffries has held since his memorable battle with Fitzsimmons. Early in the afternoon a long line of anxious men assembled in front of the pavilion and held a wearied vigil in a drizzling rain until nightfall, when the sale of gallery seats was open.

Never in the history of San Francisco has there been such a crush of humanity at a pugilistic event. The great pavilion began to fill at sundown with the enthusiastic crowds gathered to see the contest. Thousands poured into the gallery when the doors were opened and long before the first preliminary was called the upper portion of the pavilion was black with spectators. People coming from all points between Vancouver and Mexico and embracing well known State officials, members of the judiciary and prominent sporting men took possession of the high priced seats early.

At 8.15 o'clock a stir at the east end of the pavilion indicated that one of the principals had arrived and was proceeding to his dressing room. The word was soon passed that Ruhlin had reached the scene of combat from Blanken's Six Mile house, and an uproar ensued. Ruhlin went at once to his dressing room, accompanied by Billy Madden, Denver Ed. Martin, Charlie Goff and Young Gibbs, who later made his appearance in his corner when the fight was called. A rumor emanating from Oakland seized the crowd early in the evening to the effect that Jeffries had suffered an injury to one of his hands before starting for San Francisco, but popular sentiment condemned the story as a canard and the betting at the ringside was not affected by the incident.

Mayor James D. Phelan, Mayor-elect Schmitz, and almost the entire bench of the county of San Francisco, were early at the ringside. Billy Jordan, the veteran announcer, was early on the scene.

When the preliminaries were announced and the first fight brought on, those assembled betrayed in some part the extent of their excitement and cheered vociferously, although the curtain-raisers were unimportant. Jeffries, accompanied by Billy Delaney, Bob Armstrong, Kid Eagan, his brother Jack and DeWitt Vancourt, left Oakland at 7.30, reaching San Francisco shortly after 8 o'clock. The champion entered the building when the first preliminary was in progress, and as Captain Whitman, in charge of the police detail, cleared the way, proceeded to his dressing room, while the throng that entered the building made a demonstration. In great impatience the crowd awaited for the appearance of the two gladiators, taking but a passing interest in the eight-round bout between Billy Condon and Mike Curtin, and in the encounter between Joe Fields and "Spider" Joe Welch. The second preliminary between Fields and Welch, another eight-round affair, was announced. The first preliminary was declared a draw.

The police have put some of the spectators out of the gallery, it being much overcrowded. At 8 o'clock people were turned away from the doors and probably the greatest assemblage of people ever gathered to witness a prize fight was packed within.

9:15 P. M.—The betting at the ringside steadied down just before the big struggle to odds of two to one, although there were bursts of enthusiasm from either side in which larger odds were offered. Ed. Kelly, the Chicago bookmaker, had $3,000 which he sought to place at ten to four and a half. Of this sum $1,000 was covered by the Ruhlinites. Aside from this the betting was commonplace. When the second preliminary had been concluded, resulting in the victory of "Spider" Joe Welch over Joe Fields in four rounds, a corps of workmen pounced into the ring, climbing ladders and taking other positions about the myriad of electric lights ranged along the border of a canopy above. The operator at the kinetoscope machine adjusted his instruments and a flash of light through the array of lamps proclaimed that all was in readiness as far as the company was concerned.

A moment later a burst of lime light, 236,000 candle power illumined the vast reaches of the pavilion and further enthused the great host of spectators as the immediate forerunner of the championship struggle.

George Hartin official time-keeper of the Twentieth Century Club, took his position to the south side of the ring with Phil Wand, time-keeper for Ruhlin, closely following.

9:28 P. M.—Jeffries enters the ring, shading his eyes. After him came his trainer, Billy Delaney, Ed Eagan, Bob Armstrong and brother Jack Jeffries.

Harry Corbett, the referee, then stepped into the ring.

Gus Ruhlin entered the ring at 9:30, followed by his seconds. They tossed for corners and Ruhlin won, taking the southwest corner. The extreme heat from the powerful light over the ring made itself felt from the very beginning, but was not as intense as that which hampered the Sharkey-Jeffries fight.

Two minutes after the men entered the ring they were announced by Billy Jordan, who then presented Referee Harry Corbett. Deafening cheers greeted the big fighters, but an instant later, when Police Captain Wirtman entered the ring to examine the gloves, groans and hisses filled the vast auditorium.

Jeffries, in a glaring red sweater and chewing gum in violent impatience, sat demurely in his corner, while Ruhlin talked earnestly with Denver Ed. Martin. On behalf of Tom Sharkey, Tim McGrath challenged the winner of to-night's contest.

The men will break at the order of the referee. Time called at 9:37.

Round 1—Ruhlin leads for head and lands lightly with left. Clinch. Both men cautious. Jeffries' left goes around Ruhlin's head, but did no damage. Jeffries tapped Gus lightly on the head with left. The latter cleverly ducked light left. Jeffries uppercut Ruhlin to jaw with left. Jeffries landed left op body, but misses another for head. Ruhlin countered with left. Jeffries swung again, but missed. Gus blocked left jab for face. Jeffries rushes, but Ruhlin came into a clinch. Jeffries essays a left for body, but the Ohio man got out of harm's way. Jeffries is smiling. The round was tame, with the champion having slightly the advantage.

Round 2.—Clinch. Ruhlin was hooked around neck with left. He accused Jeffries of foul fighting. The Akron man then shot in his right and found Jeffries' ribs, following this up with an ineffectual left swing for the head. Jeffries waxed aggressive. Ruhlin planted right and left to the face, then rushed, landing on the body. The champion led with left and was countered. Ruhlin found Jeffries' head and in a short exchange neither had the advantage. The men fought to closer range, Gus again landing on Jeffries' face and stopping the latter's attempt to retaliate with a strong right. Ruhlin feinted with right and shot straight left to Jeffries' nose but the blow was partially blocked. The men were wrestling when the round closed. This was decidedly Ruhlin's round.

Round 3. The men came up strong and Ruhlin shot in right and left, which were stopped. Jeffries elbows his way back and finally caught the Akron man with terrific left to neck. Jeffries pursued Gus and swung with both hands. In a rush Jeffries landed weak body blows. Ruhlin again appeals to referee. Gus feinted and came back with an ineffectual short arm punch. Jeffries held the advantage with Gus constantly complaining. The men closed in several times, Ruhlin fighting low and Jeffries apparently looking for a chance to land knockout punch. Jeffries retreated about the ring until the spectators hissed him. The round ended with neither man in distress, but with Ruhlin the more worried of the two.

Round 4.—After short exchange at close range Ruhlin landed on face. He was forced back and Jeffries smiled as Ruhlin again rebuked him. Jeffries landed left, blackening Gus' left eye, then pursued him, fighting at short range and plainly wearing his man down. Ruhlin lacked aggressiveness and retreated as Jeffries swung left and right and missed. Gus led for the face and Jeffries pushed him across the ring. Then the champion walked Gus across the ring again and landed a fierce left on his face. Ruhlin shot out ineffectual lefts. Jeffries waded in, whaling Ruhlin left and right, Gus went down and took the count. He came up apparently weak and the gong saved him. Ruhlin was plainly in the greatest distress when the round closed. This round was much in Jeffries' favor.

Round 5—Ruhlin wore a distressed expression when he came up. Jeffries went in with straight arm blows, but was blocked. Jeffries landed light hook to jaw and short left to ribs and then again to neck with right. A volley followed in which the champion forced Gus with lefts to the face. Ruhlin ducked and retreated steadily. Jeffries followed up the advantage and bore in, touching Ruhlin beneath the chin with right and forcing Ruhlin to ropes, after which Gus went to the floor and at the count of five staggered to his feet. He ceased fighting and Jeffries went in for a knockout. Ruhlin was utterly dazed and missed wild swings, while Jim threw him against the ropes.

In the last minute of the round Ruhlin attempted to stop a left lead for the head and he was forced back and struck squarely in the pit of the stomach. Jeffries was going at him very fiercely, and when the gong sounded Ruhlin was assisted to his corner. It looked then as if the fight was practically ended

Ruhlin then gave every appearance of being distressed. He said something to Billy Madden and then "Denver" Ed. Martin walked to the centre of the ring and hailed Referee Corbett. "We give up," said Martin, and the fight was over.

A BRUTAL MURDER.

An Aged and Respected Widow Shot and Killed by Her Son-in-Law.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ROANOKE, Va., Nov. 15.—A special from Rural Retreat, Va., says:

Mrs. Louise Huddle, an aged and respected widow, living near here, was killed this morning by H. N. Ratcliffe, her son-in-law, who with his wife and child lived with Mrs. Huddle. When Ratcliffe went home this morning he threatened to kill everybody on the premises. His wife and child fled. The report of a gun was soon heard and when the house was entered Mrs. Huddle was found lying on the floor of the kitchen with a gunshot wound in the abdomen, her clothing on fire and her skull crushed. A bloody double-barrelled shotgun, with one barrel empty, was found in the room. Ratcliffe was arrested and taken to jail. He says he fired in self-defence. Mrs. Huddle, who was quite wealthy, had willed her property to Ratcliffe's wife.

RESULT OF CROP FAILURE.

People in Zapata County, Texas, Starving. Appeal for Aid.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DALLAS TEXAS, Nov. 15.—Governor Sayers to day received a letter from Hon. F. W. Seabury, a member of the Legislature in whose district Zapata county is situated, saying that people in that county are starving and unless immediate relief reaches them nearly the entire population will die.

There is no chance to raise any kind of crops there earlier than next April or May. Mr. Seabury says there is scarcely a bit of food on hand and he appeals for outside aid at once. Gov. Sayers immediately sent $500 to Mr. Seabury and relief supplies will be gotten into Zapata county at the earliest possible moment.

METEORIC SHOWER.

Observations at the University of Virginia Indicate It May Yet Come.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, Nov. 15.—Chas. P. Oliver, of the Leander McCormick observatory of the University of Virginia, while watching for the expected shower of leonid meteors, observed brightly four between 4:30 and full daybreak this morning. Until day broke an average of one a minute was seen in spite of adverse atmospheric conditions. This shower was very much greater than that of either of the two preceding years, and it is said may indicate that the great shower will yet come.

COAL MINE FIRE GROWING FIERCER.

All Efforts to Get Even Partial Control of It Have So Far Proved Futile.

MORE BODIES RECOVERED.

Fifteen Others Believed to be Yet in the Mine—Some of the Rescued Are Badly Injured — List of the Dead and Wounded.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BLUEFIELDS, W. VA., Nov. 16.—Latest reports from the Baby mine disaster, at Pocahontas, Va., indicate that it is much more serious than at first was supposed. Up to noon today nine bodies had been recovered and it is believed that fifteen more yet are in the burning mine.

Fire companies from the surrounding towns have been called upon to assist in extinguishing the flames. That part of the Baby mine where the explosions occurred is on the Virginia side. The main entry of this mine is six miles in length and extends into West Virginia. The work of rescue is not going on, and it is estimated that possibly five or six bodies will be recovered before night. The wounded and dead are:

Dead: Louis Woolwine, John Byron Hungarian named Urico, Hale, Hudson, unknown Italian, Will Montgomery, John Barneshart and M. D. Koontz.

Injured: H. P. Reese, member of fire department burned; W. S Lyons, secretary Y. M. C. A., crushed; Frank Tabor, badly mashed, Byer, crushed and burned; Frank Talisisse, burned; Pate Irvin, burned; Ed Ross, crushed and burned; Norton McLaughlon, burned about face and hands; Wm. Smith, injured about head and burned about face; William Brower, town sergeant, badly burned.

Others were rescued who were burned or otherwise injured.

RICHMOND, Va., November 15.—A Bluefield, W. Va., special says a rescue party to-day entered the burning Baby mine at a favorable time and succeeded in reaching a point hitherto inaccessible. They saw in the distance the corpses of six or perhaps seven men, and endeavored to reach them, but the extreme heat drove them back.

The fire is still raging and growing fiercer. All efforts to get even partial control of it have proved futile. The situation is extremely bad, with no apparent hope of improvement.

THE MOVEMENT OF COTTON.

Receipts at the Ports Since September First About the Same as Last Year. Stocks and Exports.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 15 —Secretary Hester's weekly statement issued today shows for the fifteen days of November, an increase in the movement into sight over last year of 99,000 and an increase over the same period year before last of 191,000.

The amount brought into sight during the past week has been 446,797 bales, against 430 781 for the seven days ending November 15th last year and 386,084 year before last.

The total movement since September 1, is 3,869,180 against 3,961,702 last year and 3,697,946 year before last.

The movement since September 1 shows receipts at all United States ports of 2,748,907 bales, against 2,748,075 last year and 2,455,835 year before last; overland across the Mississippi, Ohio and Potomac rivers to Northern mills and Canada, 272,276, against 357,991 last year; interior stocks in excess of those held at the close of the commercial year, 429,147, against 511,698 last year; Southern mill takings, 419,000, against 343,938 last year.

Foreign exports for the week have been 236,036 bales, against 173,223 last year, making the total thus far for the season, 1,944,546, against 1,921,653 last year. The total takings of American mills, North and South and Canada, thus far for the season have been 930,598, against 889,687 last year.

Stocks at the seaboard and the 29 leading Southern interior centers have increased during the week 81,812 bales against an increase during the corresponding period last season of 126,493.

Including stocks left over at ports and interior towns from the last crop and the number of bales brought into sight thus far for the new crop, the supply to date is 4,228 867, against 4,084,236 for the same period last year.

WARM WIRELETS.

The structures used during the Cotton States Exposition at Atlanta, Ga., as the transportation and electrical buildings, were burned yesterday. Loss $60,000.

Total bank clearings for the week ended November 14th are $2,529,867,163, an increase of 9 per cent. Outside of New York $834,333,587, an increase of 10.6 per cent.

Naval Constructor Richmond P. Hobson has been detached from duty in the Bureau of Construction and Repair, and detailed to duty in connection with management of the Government Naval exhibits at the Charleston Exposition.

In the suit of Farrar et. al. vs. the Southwestern railroad, at Macon, Ga., to recover $360,000 alleged to have been wrongfully withheld from original stockholders, Judge Guerry sustained the demurrer and dismissed the suit. An appeal will be taken.

A report from Sumter, S. C., says Nelson Shaw, colored, has been imprisoned on the charge of murder, having whipped to death an eleven-year old boy named Nathan Williams. It is said hundreds of lashes were given the boy, whose body was gashed in many places.

An issue of $400,000 of city of Jacksonville water works and improvement five per cent., maturing in 1924, gold bonds, were yesterday sold to Townsend Scott & Son, of Baltimore, and Wilson, Calston & Company, of Baltimore, at 107 535, a net gross premium of $30,140.

TOTAL NET RECEIPTS OF COTTON.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st, 1901: Galveston, 825,123 bales; New Orleans, 724,976; Mobile, 75,220; Savannah, 501,024; Charleston, 107,164; Wilmington, 189,928; Norfolk, 174,567; Baltimore, 23 721; New York, 39,934; Boston, 19,705.; Newport News, 13,410; Philadelphia, 9,482; Brunswick, 59,974; Port Arthur, 8,730; Pensacola, 52,118; Fernandina, 1,450. Total, 2,726,736 bales.

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BUSINESS OUTLOOK CONTINUES FAVORABLE.

Bradstreet's Report of the Situation. Current of Business Running Full the Country Over.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—Bradstreets to-morrow will say:

Favorable features are still largely in the ascendant and the current of business is running full the country over. In some directions, indeed notably in the matter of forwarding of general merchandise, grain, ore, coal, iron and lumber, complaints of insufficient transportation facilities have become more marked. Seasonable weather conditions East, North, West and South have expanded and enlarged greatly. Weather conditions at the South have, however, not been entirely favorable, and complaints of slowness of collections, due to the backward cotton crop or the lower prices paid therefor, have been more numerous. A favorable future as regards this latter situation, however, is the turn for the better in prices.

Demand for iron and steel is heavy and nearly all lines share in the strength. Pig iron is firm at all markets and 25 cents per ton premium is freely paid for immediate delivery. Stocks are smaller than a month ago. Steel billets are also in demand and find ready sale at $38 per ton at Pittsburg. The rail situation is one of special strength, the leading interest being reported as having its output for the entire year of 1902 booked.

Manipulation in print cloths some weeks ago caused an advance, in the face of declining raw cotton, and this week the reverse has happened. Print cloths have lost one-eighth of a cent, while raw cotton has gained three-sixteenths. Home demand has been rather limited, but printed fabrics are firmly held. In woollen goods the scarcity of men's overcoatings has been marked, and the demand in this line is active. More orders for spring delivery are being received by the mills.

Aside from the strength in raw cotton, the features have been the increased strength in such cereals as corn and oats, due to the springing up of a better demand, some slight firmness in lard, and a seasonable advance in butter and eggs and other dairy products. Wheat and also flour have weakened, due mainly to realizing upon the late advance, but renewed speculative interest is evident on every decline, and though prices are slightly lower on the week, the tone of the market is much better than some weeks ago.

Failures in the United States aggregate 213 as against 227 in this week a year ago. Canadian failures number thirty this year, against 25 in this week a year ago.

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1st.—A tract beginning on the north side of the plank road leading from Wilmington to Scott's Hill at a stake on a tract of land formerly owned by J. L. Keen, at his corner on the plank road and running thence down said road S. 73 W. 219 feet to a stake by the side of said road; thence S. 2 W. 420 feet to a stake in said Keen's line; thence N. 78 E. 210 feet to a stake in said K. en's line, and thence with said line to the beginning, containing two acres.

2d.—Another tract on the east side of Green's Mill Pond, beginning at the southwest corner of a tract of land formerly owned by John K. Currie on the north side of the plank road and running thence north 17 W. 6 poles to a stake; thence N. 78½ E. and parallel with the plank road 58½ poles; thence S. 17 E. 10½ poles to the plank road, and thence S. 73¼ W. 58½ poles, to the beginning, corner of J. K. Currie's line.

3rd.—Another tract beginning at a stake on the Newbern road, and running thence with said road N. 87 W. 25 poles to a stake; thence S. 5½ E. 10½ poles to the plank road; thence with the plank road S. 77½ E. 20 poles to a stake and thence to the beginning

4th.—Another tract one and one-half miles from the City of Wilmington, between the Newbern road and plank road, and beginning in the southern line of the Newbern road at the northwest corner of a tract of land conveyed by J. A. Currie to Thomas Monk, and running thence with Monk's line S. 5 E. 30 chains and ten links to the corner of a tract of land formerly owned by one Lamb; thence with Lamb's line S. 81 W. 4 chains and 66 links; thence with another of Lamb's lines S. 5 E. 6 chains and fifty links to the plank road; thence S. 79 W. ten chains and fifty links to a small pine, Monk's corner of a 25-acre tract purchased from T. H. Smith; thence N. 10½ W. 39 chains and 58 links, to the beginning; containing 49 1-10 acres.

5th.—Another tract beginning at the east end of the plank road bridge, as it formerly stood—high water mark—Bill W. King's line, and running with his line—high water mark—northwardly to the end of a big ditch near where the butcher pen stood; thence westwardly and parallel with the plank road to the run or creek of the mill pond; thence southwardly with the meanderings of said Green's mill pond, run or creek to the line of the plank road formerly stood and thence eastwardly with said line of said bridge to the beginning, containing by estimation two acres.

6th.—And one other tract, beginning at a point on the eastern shore of Green's mill pond, and running thence N. 83 E. 6 chains to Monk's corner; thence N. 15 W. 20 chains and 66 links to the Newbern road; thence with said road to the mill pond, and thence with the meanderings of the mill pond to the beginning at the plank road bridge, containing by estimation 50 acres said subdivisions to be sold as one entire tract.

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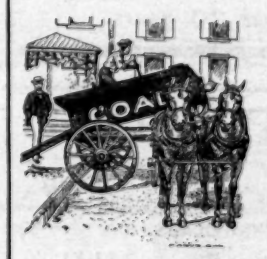

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